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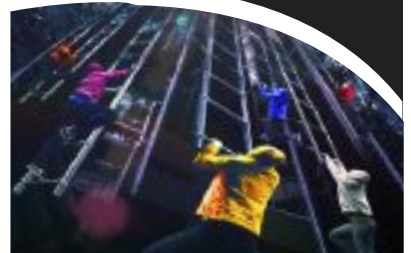


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## Waitrose opens new store in Greenwich

by Dick Townsend-Smith

ONE hundred and forty local people are starting work when a new Waitrose supermarket opens in Greenwich this week.

The store is part of the huge New Capital Quay homes development at Dreadnought Wharf. Its arrival is yet another boost to the local economy, which has seen major investment in the borough's high streets by national retailers and businesses.

Waitrose has a policy of recruiting as locally as possible, and received 2,000 applications for jobs at the Greenwich store. The 140 taken on went through a selection process, which was supported by Job Centre Plus and the borough jobs and training agency GLLaB. They then went off for three weeks training at other Waitrose branches in south east London.

The store is a traditional Waitrose branch, with counters for fresh meat, fish, cheese, and a delicatessen. It is on the ground floor, with 18,000 square feet of shopping space, and a car park with 150 spaces below in the basement. It will open Monday to Saturday from 7am to 10pm. Sunday opening will be from 11am to 5pm.

The store's official opening is 8am on Thursday (June 20) by Nick Raynsford

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## ROYAL BOROUGH MEETINGS

The following meetings take place at the Town Hall, Wellington Street, unless stated otherwise.

June 20 - Social Inclusion Scrutiny Panel, 7pm

June 25 - Planning Board, 6.30pm

June 26 - Council, 7pm

More information on 020 8921 5130 or at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/meetings](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/meetings)

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## Why no council reps listed?

I MOVED to Greenwich two weeks ago and flicked through Greenwich Time, to see what I would find. I have always been interested in local politics, so I was pleased to find "Royal Greenwich Representatives" on p2. However, I was alarmed to find more than three quarters of the contacts listed were MPs. Given that this newspaper covers council business, it seems pretty obscene that no councillors details are listed in this section, as MPs have little or no responsibility for tackling those issues covered. **Tom Jones**

**Peninsula Ward**  
● PLEASED to see you getting stuck into Greenwich Time so soon after moving to the borough. Lack of space means we cannot list contact details for all 51 councillors. However, their details are on the website at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk) or you can call members' services on 020 8921 5151.

## Lovely...but what about a cuppa?

WE were pleased to join several other families on a sunny Sunday at the Sutcliffe Park nature reserve the other week. The atmosphere

was great with the children in the playground and us older people able to "chill out", I think they call it. But I could have murdered a cup of tea and a biscuit or a piece of cake. Are there any plans to open a cafe in



SUTCLIFFE PARK: plenty to do but what about refreshments?

the park? I always think that a cafe is essential to a local park. It really would make all the difference at Sutcliffe Park. It's great for a picnic but sometimes you need to be able to buy a drink or a sandwich.

**Hugh Barnett, Greenwich**  
● THANKS for the idea, which we'll pass on, and glad that you enjoyed the park so much.

## We've already got Crossrail noise

I HAVE just read the story in last week's GT, Tunnel vision. You fail to tell people about the proposed rail yard that is going to be built in the Plumstead area where Crossrail's yard is now, and that this is going to be a 24/7 working yard for train washing and maintenance and shunting yard. We already have to put up with noise with Crossrail working nights.

**Barry Hill, Plumstead**

● WE are sorry to hear that you are experiencing late night disturbance from the current works taking place at the Plumstead Portal site where the Crossrail construction works are currently taking place. Please report this to the Crossrail Helpdesk which operates 24 hours a day, seven days a week on 0845 602 3813 or e-mail them at [helpdesk@crossrail.co.uk](mailto:helpdesk@crossrail.co.uk)  
The application for the railway siding proposals was submitted in February and is

for the temporary use of the site to support the construction work for the Crossrail Project. But some of the works to be carried out to the site will be permanent. As part of the consultation process 204 neighbouring properties were consulted on the proposal. These included properties in

White Hart Road, White Hart Avenue, Barth Mews, Marmaden Road, Reidhaven Road, Richard Neve House, and Church Manor Way. The application was advertised in Greenwich Time on March 5 while eight site notices were displayed within the vicinity of the application site.

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# The square smile

Families flock to free fun activities

**FAMILIES** played pirates in General Gordon Square for the second session in a series of free Saturday fun days.

There were pirate crafts and games organised by the royal borough as part of a summer activities programme, designed to attract more people into Woolwich town centre square.

On the bill for forthcoming Saturdays are further craft activities, children's films on the big screen as well as sports and stalls running from 11am to 6pm.

In addition there are weekday events for all ages including screenings of major music and sport events on the big screen on the following dates:

- **June 22-23** - Athletics, the European Team Championships live on the big screen.
- **June 24-July 7** - Wimbledon live on the big screen, with Wimbledon-themed activities, fruit punch and strawberries and cream planned for finals weekend
- **June 26-30** - Glastonbury live on the big screen.
- **June 28-29** - Greenwich & Docklands International Festival - A High Street Odyssey theatre performances through the town centre on the hour from 11am-5pm. Meet at the Coffee Lounge on the corner of General Gordon Square. One Million, 10pm, Royal Arsenal Square.
- **June 30** - British Grand Prix live on the big screen
- **July 11** - Puccini's La Rondine, live from the Royal Opera House on the big screen. The second in the series of live ROH screenings with seating and pre-screening entertainment in the square from 6.30pm.
- **July 12-14** - T in the Park live on the big screen.
- **July 18** - Puccini's Tosca live from the Royal Opera House on the big screen. The last of the live ROH screenings with seating and pre-screening entertainment from 6.30pm.
- **July 18-21** - Golf: The Open live on the big screen.
- **July 24** - Life and Deaf. An event provided by the Life and Deaf association who work with children and young people to explore deaf



**LOTS TO SEE AND DO:** above, youngsters enjoy the inflatables, making pirate hats and football target practice from behind the net, below, artists from Emergency Exit Arts who led craft activities

children's identities through poetry film and the arts. This event will feature films on the big screen and activities in the square.

- **August 10-18** - Athletics World Championships live on the big screen.
- **August 23-25** - Reading & Leeds Festival live on the big screen
- **September 7** - Last Night of the Proms / Proms in the Park live on the big screen. The last event of the big screen summer programme featuring seating, live entertainment, food and drink stalls.

● **For further details of big screen events visit [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/bigscreen](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/bigscreen)**



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# Key priorities

**BOOSTING** the local economy, getting more people trained to help them find jobs, and building on the Olympic legacy – these are among a raft of priorities that have been drawn up by the royal borough for the next 12 to 18 months.

They are due to be endorsed when the council's Cabinet meets tomorrow evening (Wednesday, June 19). There are two overarching priorities – a strategy for growth, and another to tackle poverty.

To support regeneration, growth and employment, the council has agreed an investment fund to promote the economy through tourism and the development of culture, while boosting economic growth, jobs and affordable housing.

A key part of this will be to

## Royal borough plans strategy for growth and tackling poverty

promote the Thames for both commuters and tourists.

Alongside the plans for growth, the strategy to tackle poverty will be to work with both individuals and families to enhance skills and employability, and provide support to small businesses. There will also be a special focus on people affected by benefits cuts.

GLLaB, the borough's jobs and training agency, has built strong partnerships with employers such as Tesco, Waitrose and TK Maxx, to secure access to jobs for local people. But the council says the spotlight should now be turned on supporting growth among the borough's 7,000

small businesses, helping them modernise their operations and expand by providing more commercial and industrial space in which they can grow.

As well as moves to tackle unemployment through the launch of the Greenwich Local Labour Project (GLLP) the council is also looking at ways to prevent young people aged 18-24 becoming 'NEETS' – those who are not in education, employment or training.

The council is also negotiating with British Gas on a fuel poverty initiative to improve the energy efficiency of homes in the borough, including the affordable housing stock.

Building on the Olympic legacy there are plans to develop facilities for athletics and other sports at Sutcliffe Park, and integrating Playground to Podium facilities so they will be better used by children with disabilities.

Cllr Chris Roberts, leader of the royal borough, said: "Funds to take these priorities forward will come from a variety of sources, and many are already built into the council's financial planning. We can take all this forward without affecting council tax or reducing services and without any impact to the council's financial standing and strategies."

## 1914 nursery goes down memory lane

RACHEL McMillan nursery school is appealing to people to share their stories, experiences and photos of the nursery as they approach their 100th birthday next year. The nursery for under fives in McMillan Street in Greenwich opened in 1914 and is taking a trip down memory lane in celebration of their centenary. Managers want to hear local families' anecdotes and fond memories about attending or living near the nursery. The building was also a teachers' training college until the 1970s and anyone who trained there is also invited to share their stories.

Correspondence can be sent to the headteacher at Rachel McMillan Nursery School and Children's Centre, McMillan Street, London SE8 3EH or email the premises manager on [rtoogood@rachelmcmillan.greenwich.sch.uk](mailto:rtoogood@rachelmcmillan.greenwich.sch.uk)

## Counselling charity sets up in Greenwich

PEOPLE in need of an impartial ear can make a visit to a new counselling charity in Greenwich that was launched last Friday.

The Deborah Ubee Trust on Egerton Drive offers a counselling service including play therapy. There are also treatment rooms and a large training room available for hire by private therapists and organisations. For more information and to book a session, call 020 8305 6460 or visit [www.thedeborahubetrust.org.uk](http://www.thedeborahubetrust.org.uk)

## Magic carpet rides for children

A NEW surface made out of shredded waxed carpet means children at Charlton Park's Riding for the Disabled can now get saddled up all year round. It follows a £4,500 donation from travel company Dial-a-Flight, based near Tower Bridge, from their staff charity fund.

Carol Kendall, chief instructor at the riding centre, said: "It's brilliant we've got this, it was very badly needed. The old sand surface use to freeze in the winter, which meant we had to cancel the children's riding. But now we can carry on all year round."

The contractors who laid it said it was the best surface available. We couldn't have afforded to do it ourselves, so we are really delighted." Carol, who has been involved with the centre for 23 years, was presented with a Volunteer of the Year award in this year's Civic Awards. Around 70 disabled children from the borough go to the centre every week to learn to ride, without having to pay anything towards the cost of lessons. So donations and volunteer helpers are always welcomed. Call 020 8317 1528 for more information.

## Pupils riding high on a hobby horse

YOUNG book fans were so inspired by Michael Morpurgo's *War Horse*, they've made a life-size model of the main character. Year 6 pupils at Greenslade primary school made a wood and papier mache model of horse 'Joey' in just two days! The youngsters worked with the Arty Party arts group as part of a literacy project on the book, film and stage show. The finished model is taking pride of place in the school's entrance hall and the pupils will be going to see the stage show in the west end later this month. Eleven-year-old Lukas said: "It was amazing building this in two days. I didn't think we would be able to finish that quickly. It was amazing how we built it out of willow sticks, masking tape and

wood." Charlie, also 11, explained: "We worked in small groups of eight and everybody did their bit. It was amazing how quickly we made the horse and the team work was outstanding." "This project looks really realistic; I don't know how people will resist trying to sit on it," said Savannah. "This has been really fun and I have enjoyed getting messy. It looks great and I am upset that I can't take it home" Alice aged 11 "I enjoyed making it. It looks great and we are really proud of it. It was a great experience working as a team," said classmate Braydon.

**TAKING THE REINS:** the Year 6 pupils put the finishing touches to their model



## Waitrose store opens

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MP and the Deputy Mayor of Royal Greenwich, Cllr Mick Hayes. Helping them cut the ribbon will be 10-year-old Shanita Fenton from St Alfege with St Peter's Primary School in Creek Road. She won a painting competition organised by Waitrose with local schools, and her drawing of a rainbow with the Cutty Sark below will be used on the store's jute shopping bags which it sells to customers.

Waitrose staff will also be handing out tea bags near the

Cutty Sark on the opening day. Andy Faulkner, the new branch manager, said: "Waitrose have wanted to be in Greenwich for a very long time so I'm delighted that after the hard work and support of many people we'll very shortly be opening our first shop here. We now have a fantastic shop and team of 140 partners from the local area who are looking forward to serving our customers when we open our doors on Thursday."



# Dash it! Cashless parking coming soon

MOTORISTS will soon be able to pay for parking by mobile phone on street and in car parks across the borough, alongside existing cash options. From the end of June drivers will be able to pay by debit or credit card via mobile phone if they choose to - or if they haven't got the right change available. Motorists will see new signage on street and on pay and display machines under the

new system called 'Dashpark' and drivers should look out for the 'Dash' sign. Drivers may wish to pre-register online with Dashpark as this will make it easier to use the first time. Once registered, motorists will simply need the unique location code on the machine they are parked at to quickly make their payment. Full instructions will be displayed at each site.

Cllr Denise Hyland, cabinet member for regeneration, enterprise and skills told GT: "This is about giving motorists in the borough more choice and more convenience when it comes to paying for their parking. Once registered, this really is a quick and simple system to use and means drivers won't now need to always rely on having the right change. People will still be able

to pay by cash if they want to. I'd recommend regular parkers sign up with Dashpark before they use the system for the first time so it's even easier to get up and running." The new system brings Greenwich in line with other London boroughs that already have cashless parking. ● Register with Dashpark at [www.dashpark.com](http://www.dashpark.com)

# Cupboard love

## Council offices now used for food bank larder

by Dick Townsend-Smith

**VOLUNTEERS** who run the Greenwich Foodbank can help more needy people now that they have a huge centralised warehouse to store and bag up donations of food.

The royal borough has given over the ground floor of disused social services offices in Orangery Lane, Eltham, for volunteers to kit out and use as a storage depot.

More than 50 regular volunteers collect food donations from 28 collection points around the borough, including schools, supermarkets, the Town Hall in Woolwich and churches. They then take them to the warehouse and bag up food packs for one to four people. These are then distributed via the foodbank's Welcome Centres at Eltham, Blackheath, Kidbrooke, Plumstead, Thamesmead and Woolwich.

The Rev Paul Rogers, minister of Eltham Park Baptist Church and the director of the foodbank, said: "We are so very grateful for the council's generosity and hard work in making this possible. The warehouse is crucial to our whole operation across the borough and enables us to do in Greenwich what is not done anywhere else in London.



ON THE SHELF: warehouse manager Stuart Brundritt with the Rev Paul Rogers stocking up at the new food storage depot

"The warehouse will enable us to further increase our operation and effectiveness. It is so good to be in partnership with the royal borough in helping the most needy in this way. "The packs give three days' supply of emergency food to people in crisis, which may be caused by many things such as major changes in

benefits, soaring fuel bills, or becoming unemployed. "It's a stop-gap emergency measure providing a helping hand from people who care to more than 30 people every week." Council leader Cllr Chris Roberts, said: "The foodbank provides a vital service in the royal borough and we are happy to support it

by offering the use of our offices as a warehouse. We know it will make a major difference to their operations as it means they can keep all their food stock in one place, making it possible for them to run more efficiently, grow and help more people." ● More information at [www.greenwich.foodbank.org.uk](http://www.greenwich.foodbank.org.uk) or phone 07771 830549.

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**Dispersal zone renewed in Eltham town centre**

A DISPERSAL order for Eltham High Street has been renewed for a further six months in order to ensure that officers can continue to tackle rowdy and anti-social behaviour.

The Eltham dispersal zone came into force again last month on the agreement of the royal borough and will remain in place until November, allowing police to break up large groups of people causing a disturbance.

Officers will have the authority to return anyone under the age of 16 to their homes if they are involved in anti-social

behaviour within the zone. Police sergeant Marianne Catmull, in charge of policing Eltham High Street said: "We want people to feel that they can visit the High Street and the shops without being concerned about anti-social behaviour."

"Thanks to the order we have so far reduced the number of calls to police regarding anti-social behaviour around the town centre. We have received positive feedback from stores, shoppers and residents with overwhelming support for the measures in place."

**Abbey Wood clean up day**

ABBEY Wood residents are invited to join a litter pick starting in Bostall Gardens at 10am on Saturday, June 22, as part of the borough's contribution towards Love Where You Live month. It's been organised by the royal borough after residents raised concerns about dog fouling and litter dropping in the area. Equipment will be provided from a stall and participants can learn more about the royal borough's Environment Champions scheme. Dog waste bags and personal ashtrays will be given out.

• Anyone interested is welcome to contact Amy London beforehand on 020 8921 5618 or to find out more about how you can volunteer to become a Royal Borough Environment Champion visit [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/environmentchampions](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/environmentchampions).

**Stay safe in water!**

NEARLY 15,000 primary and secondary school children in the borough will be taught life-saving tips on how to stay safe when they go swimming. Next week is national Drowning Prevention Week and a full programme of practical water safety is being built into school swimming lessons to drive home the message.

More than 400 people drown in the UK each year, and thousands suffer near-drowning experiences. It's the third highest cause of accidental death in children in the UK.

The safety campaign, running from June 24 to 28, is being promoted locally by Greenwich Leisure Ltd (GLL).

• More information from the Royal Lifesaving Society is at [www.drowningpreventionweek.org.uk/pools/](http://www.drowningpreventionweek.org.uk/pools/)

**Measles jab reminder**

LEAFLETS are being sent to schools and children's centres reminding parents about the importance of the measles jab. The council is now responsible for public health locally and health experts are reminding families that measles is highly infectious and should not be regarded as a 'harmless' childhood disease. They also stress that it can lead to death in severe cases, including for older children and adults and have issued the following advice:

- Parents should make sure their children are fully protected against mumps, measles and rubella with two doses of the MMR vaccine.
- The first does can be given at 12 months old and the second can be given three months later.
- It is never too late for a child to have the MMR if they have not previously had any of the vaccinations.
- For further information visit the NHS Choices website at [www.nhs.uk](http://www.nhs.uk)

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# Ace of the skies

Battle of Britain pilot honoured with memorial at SE3 crash site



**SO BRAVE:** a Hurricane like Dickie's engages an Me109 over the south of England (painting by Geoff Nutkins). Left, Reynell after a safe landing

by Rod Kitson

AS Richard 'Dickie' Reynell flew over Blackheath barely 1,000 ft up, his Hawker Hurricane was caught in the sights of two Messerschmitt 109s he had been desperately trying to evade.

Short bursts from the German guns ripped through the wings and fuselage – which were already peppered with small arms fire from the bombers he had been trying to down.

It was September 6, 1940 – the height of the Battle of Britain, and the fearless Australian pilot was in the thick of the fiercest dogfights seen in western Europe.

Minutes earlier he'd been scrambled straight into a swarm of German Dorniers and Heinkel 111s which had followed the Thames from the east to drop their deadly payloads on a city under siege.

As the Me109s opened up, bullets ricocheted around the cockpit and Dickie was hit. With the engines now streaming thick black smoke, he used his remaining strength to steer the stricken aircraft away from a nearby convent and school, before he pulled the canopy. He managed to separate himself from the aircraft but his parachute never opened. His body was found later, just yards from the flaming wreckage of his beloved Hurricane. He was just 28 years old.

Now, 73 years later, the flight lieutenant will be recognised for his sacrifice with a plaque at the spot where he crashed.

"The plane came down at The Point, a little tiny park just at the top of Blackheath Hill," said Ed McManus, from the Shoreham Aircraft Museum. "There's a very steep drop almost like a cliff, and right in front of you is Canary Wharf."

"His body landed on the ground with the parachute not open. His

role that day was to intercept the German formations attacking London."

The aircraft museum is campaigning to honour all of the Battle of Britain airmen who died within a 10-mile radius of its base, and the ceremony for Dickie is on June 28.

"The memorial will be where the Hurricane came down," Ed added. "His body fell on the other side of the road in the grounds of a convent at the top of Blackheath Hill. It's since been demolished and there's a block of flats there. The service will be within yards of where he was killed."

A stone monument to mark the spot will be unveiled, and some of Dickie's relatives – over from Australia and Spain – will lay wreaths. Dickie was one of 'The Few' – the young pilots who thwarted Nazi invasion plans by decimating the Luftwaffe in the late summer of 1940.

Ed, who himself has 10 years' experience in the Forces said: "The Few occupy a place in our imagination – they saved us. A lot of historians want to revise everything and say that the Germans couldn't have invaded anyway, that they didn't have the technology – which to my mind is rubbish."

"Our guys were fighting with their backs to the wall – it was their country. But Reynell volunteered from the other side of the world. He didn't have to be there, and that's a big credit to him. Now you can fly to Australia for 700 quid, but in 1940 it was a six-week boat journey. Fancy, coming all that way to be killed."

● **The memorial is at 1pm on Friday, June 28 at The Point, Blackheath. It is open to the public.**



## FOSTERING INFORMATION EVENTS SIGN UP TO LEARN MORE ABOUT FOSTERING

We will be holding an information event for people who are interested in finding out more about fostering.

### Venue:

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### Date and Time:

Saturday 29 June 2013  
10am to 12pm

### Booking a place:

Sign up to come to this fostering event by filling in our online form at:  
[www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/fostering](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/fostering)

### Contact:

Greenwich Fostering Service  
First floor, The Woolwich Centre,  
35 Wellington Street,  
Woolwich SE18 6HQ

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## £14,000 fine for council house fraudster

A WOOLWICH woman who sublet her council flat to relatives while living in her privately-owned home has been given a suspended prison sentence and ordered pay nearly £14,000 to the royal borough. Care manager Patience Ejegi-Adegugbe, 46, pleaded guilty at Woolwich Crown Court to fraud, by obtaining council accommodation using false information. The court heard she had been granted tenancy of 44 Wixom House, Kidbrooke, after her own property had been bought back as part of the decant exercise on the Ferrier Estate. At the time she said that she did not own any other

property and had nowhere else to live. At a later stage she was granted the tenancy of 8 Derrick Gardens, Charlton. Once again, she declared she had no alternative accommodation. Investigators from the council's Internal Audit & Anti-Fraud team then discovered she had bought a Woolwich property in May 2004, and had been living there while subletting the homes in Wixom House and Derrick Gardens. She was given a year's prison sentence, suspended for 12 months and given 80 hours community service. The royal borough made a claim for financial losses caused by having to

provide emergency accommodation as it was not able to make use of the two council properties. The judge ordered her to pay £13,779 to the royal borough and legal costs of £1,200. Cllr Steve Offord, the cabinet member for housing, said: "This case shows that the royal borough will not only prosecute offenders but financially pursue those that fraudulently obtain council accommodation or sublet council property." ● If you suspect someone of housing fraud call 0800 169 6975 or email to fraud@royalgreenwich.gov.uk

# Rough 'n' ready!

## Students' 'Big Sleepout' for homeless charity

by Dick Townsend-Smith

STUDENTS from Greenwich Community College slept rough for a night to raise the issue of homelessness in London - and cash for homeless charity Emmaus.

Earlier the students raised funds and distributed flyers about their Big Sleepout project in Trafalgar Square, Covent Garden, Piccadilly Circus and the Southbank.

They then went back to the college's Plumstead Centre to sleep outside for the night.

Student Jade Louis, 19, from Woolwich, told GT: "The darkness is scary and I wouldn't want to be out there on my own. I wouldn't wish it on anyone to be homeless. I feel very privileged and I have learnt that you shouldn't take your home for granted."

They were joined by Emmaus UK's deputy coordinator, Clare Waghorn, who helped the students set up for the night and gave them tips to make their sleep out as comfortable as possible.

She said: "We have been supporting the 'Big Sleepout' to raise awareness of homelessness. A big thank you to everybody for what you are doing. It has been really brilliant."

The students' progress was updated throughout the day on the college's Twitter page. So far more than £300 has been donated.

College principal Gary Chin said: "I am proud that our students have continued to live



**DOWN AND OUT:** students rough it for the homeless charity Emmaus

the Olympic and Paralympic values through this project. Homelessness continues to have an impact not only in our local community, but also with some of our students. It is great they have raised so much money for a valued local charity."

## Open day at Fan museum

LOCAL people who have never visited the Fan Museum are especially invited to an open day next month. The museum is

encouraging local people to visit on Saturday July 28 and are keen to meet families, children and members from different

communities on their first visits. Entry is free (with proof of address) to all royal borough residents. Visit [www.thefanmuseum.org.uk](http://www.thefanmuseum.org.uk)

## Waterfront event points to jobs in leisure

The Waterfront Leisure Centre is hosting a Better Job Information afternoon on Wednesday, June 26. The session will explain how to apply for jobs and provide information about career and training opportunities available to borough residents in their

local leisure centres. The session, from 3pm to 7pm, is open to members of the public and pupils from local schools and colleges. Residents will be given a presentation on how to use the new GLL jobs website portal ([www.glljobs.org](http://www.glljobs.org)) and how to search and apply for current full

time and part time work. There will also be information about training opportunities and employment schemes available via GLL and partner organisations. Position types that will be explained at the session include lifeguards, customer service advisors, kids activity

instructors and management opportunities. There will be opportunities to speak with the human resources team and centre managers about the range of other job roles, and to meet staff to find out what it is like to work for leisure's leading social enterprise.

## WIN WIN WIN!



## Sail through summer with £250 in shopping vouchers

JETTING off to hotter climates or planning a stay-cation? Whatever your plans this summer, Greenwich Shopping Park, off Bugsby's Way in Charlton, is offering one lucky Greenwich Time reader the chance to win £250 worth of shopping vouchers to help kit them out with this year's summer essentials. With 13 favourite high street stores and three hours free parking, you're sure to find an array of new clothes, beauty products, accessories and gadgets guaranteed to keep you entertained and looking good - whether you plan on spending the summer on the beach or in the back garden.

Follow @ShopGSP, 'Like' Greenwich Shopping Park on Facebook or visit [greenwichshoppingpark.com](http://greenwichshoppingpark.com) to keep up to date with our latest offers, news and competitions.

**How to enter:** To enter simply 'Like' the Greenwich Shopping Park page on Facebook and answer a simple question, 'What is your 2013 summer must-have?' Start your post with GTsummerstyles. Competition closes at midday on Sunday, June 30. View full T&Cs online.

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*so stay for lunch at the fair!*

# Appeal for out and about chaperones

**PEOPLE** who like to get out and about are needed to help with a new project.

An appeal has been launched for volunteers for the 'Out and About project', which arranges chaperones for elderly and vulnerable people.

It's being co-ordinated by the Irish Community Services charity, and is free to any over-55s in Greenwich, Lewisham and Bexley who need a little moral support to retain their independence.

Volunteers are needed to accompany people on short journeys - which may include a walk to the park, hairdresser's, doctor's surgery, dentist or optician, or to visit a loved one's grave, or choose some bits from the shop.

So far volunteers include young parents with some time to spare while children are at school, as well as professionals keeping busy while they job-hunt.

Information leaflets have gone out to churches, community centres and to GP surgeries as part of the appeal.

Out and About co-ordinator Mary Pegler said: "This service is free to any older person in our three boroughs, and we welcome inquiries from everyone including, family members, friends and health professionals."

**"Our team of volunteers are caring, reliable people who come from all backgrounds.**



**DAY TRIPPER:** Damien accompanies Elizabeth on a bus trip

They're carefully vetted and they go through the usual checks. If you'd like to join them, you'll get training on handling a wheelchair, as well as on going support and information from us." Seventy-three year-old Elizabeth said: "I was housebound for nearly five months following a recent operation, so I was delighted to hear about the project. Damien, the volunteer, came with me on my first trip out on the bus. It was a great support to have him with me. I could not have done it without him." Damien, 31, from Greenwich, added: "I have found it a very rewarding experience and it gave me something worthwhile to do while looking for work."

● If you can help call Mary on 020 8854 4466 weekdays 10am to 30pm except Monday or email [outandabout@irishcommunityservices.org.uk](mailto:outandabout@irishcommunityservices.org.uk)

# To our good health

FAMILIES enjoyed therapy taster sessions and picked up a range of good health tips at Eglinton children's centre. It was all part of a special health and happiness day earlier this month at the centre in Paget Rise, Plumstead. Invited families joined in a range of different activities to enhance their own health and wellbeing. Stalls offered complementary therapies including Indian head massage, and there

were blood pressure and cholesterol checks, a healthy cooking workshop, breastfeeding advice, baby yoga and massage tasters, as well as a mini army assault course for youngsters to test their stamina. Volunteers also gave recipe tips and advice on making healthy fruit smoothies and scones.

● Further details on events in children's centres at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/childrenscentres](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/childrenscentres)

# Sail Royal Greenwich 2013: Tall Ships return to the Thames

**28 AUGUST TO 1 SEPTEMBER: FREE DRINK OFFER**

After a successful inaugural event in 2012, the world's finest Tall Ships return to Royal Greenwich this summer for just five days. The fleet will offer both daytime and evening cruises, and all the evening cruises will include special fireworks displays on the river. Full cash bar available on board.

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Readers of Royal Greenwich Time are entitled to a free drink. Please use the special promotional code **GREENWICH** in the Promo 2 box on the booking page. For more information and to watch the video visit **[sailroyalgreenwich.co.uk/thamestallshipcruise](http://sailroyalgreenwich.co.uk/thamestallshipcruise)**



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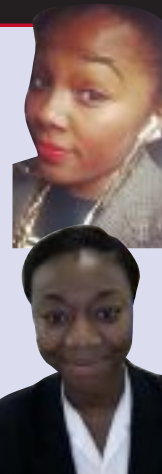
## Children's centre hosts health activity day



FEEL GOOD FACTOR: Mwelwa Reid has her blood pressure checked; offers a taster session to Brenda Chaston has a taste of Indian head massage and mums and babies enjoy a massage class

## Representing Young people in Royal Greenwich

### Listen to the voice of youth



SPEAKING OUT: GYPC reps Rasheeda (above) and Rafiat

**WE are members of the new Greenwich Young People's Council for 2013.**

We are a group of passionate young people and are planning to make not only our schools but also our communities and inevitably our societies a better place to live. We come together once a month to plan special events and discuss what we think is important to young people in Greenwich. We are from different backgrounds, ethnicities and abilities, but each brings something different to the team. As a collective group of young people who represent different areas and schools, we aim to make the voices of the young people heard.

More than anything we want to be able to have a good relationship with fellow young people in the borough.

We were nominated because of our strong relations with people in our schools, youth clubs and colleges and we would love to have that on a wider scale. This is why we think it is vital that you are able to contact us. We want to be representative of the whole youth population of Greenwich and that will only be maximized to its full potential with your help.

We are in the process of writing our manifesto. Our aims are: to improve the relationship between young people and the police, improve our local communities and to improve the opportunities for work experience. Our ambition is for everyone to experience the best of Greenwich and to motivate other people, young or old to make a difference. We want to let more people know about what is happening in Greenwich for young people and how to get involved. As well as these aims; we want to know what you want to update or improve, and what you have accomplished or succeeded.

To share this with us we ask that you find out your local GYPC rep by going to [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/gypc](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/gypc)

We are constantly bombarded in the media with negative stories about young people we aim to alleviate and challenge some of these stereotypes by displacing them with positive ones straight from the young people of Greenwich.

If you want to contact us with any good news stories about anything that is going on in your schools or have information about young people in Greenwich contact us by sending an email to Michelle. Younger@childrenssociety.org.uk or Lloyd. mitchell@childrenssociety.org.uk

The views expressed are the writer's own and do not necessarily reflect the views of the Royal Borough of Greenwich

# Drop-in on Crossrail

**RAIL engineers have sent thousands of letters to Abbey Wood residents inviting them to an information event about Crossrail.**

The public information drop-in is on Thursday July 11 (and not July 20 as previously reported). It runs from 1-7pm at the Abbey Wood Community Group Centre at 4 Knee Hill Abbey Wood SE20 0YS and is being hosted by Network Rail.

It's a chance for locals to learn more about what Crossrail means to residents, the construction timeline, changes to the railway in the area, including the new Abbey Wood station, and other benefits

## Information day on July 11

of the project.

Residents can also learn about major survey works to locate buried services taking place in the area from July 15-August 24.

Network Rail is carrying out works to the existing rail network as part of the multi-million Crossrail project that will link Maidenhead and Heathrow in the west to Shenfield and Abbey Wood.

The scheme will provide a direct link to central London and the west for local

residents and it will help to boost the local economy by opening up the better and faster connections to the west.

Around 8,000 residents in the Abbey Wood and Plumstead areas will be receiving the letter along with information leaflets which are also available at local libraries.

● **Locals with additional questions or issues can call a 24-hour national helpline on 0845 11 41 41, email [crsouth@networkrail.co.uk](mailto:crsouth@networkrail.co.uk) or visit [www.crossrail.co.uk](http://www.crossrail.co.uk)**

## Landlord fined for no heating at flat

A PRIVATE landlord who left her Thamesmead tenant without any heating during the cold winter has been fined £5,000.

The royal borough brought a prosecution against Adekemi Agoro for breaching a housing act improvement notice for the property in Celandine Drive.

Magistrates at Bexley said they were concerned at the poor conditions the tenant had been

left to live in.

The worst problems included a broken gas boiler, which left the tenant without heating, rotten windows – where a bedroom window had completely fallen out – and a lack of lighting in the kitchen.

The court also ordered Agoro to pay court costs of £492 and a victim surcharge of £120.

Cllr Maureen O'Mara, the

council's cabinet member for community safety and environment said: "The royal borough will always seek to take the strongest action against those landlords who fail to maintain a safe environment for their tenants."

"There is sufficient advice and information on hand for landlords to deal with issues long before being taken to court

and I urge them to look to this course of action in future. Our Environmental Health Residential Team is always willing to offer assistance to tenants seeking help about their housing conditions."

● **Tenants suffering similar problems should contact the council's Residential Services Team on 8921 8157 or e-mail [residential@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:residential@royalgreenwich.gov.uk)**



A spectacular day out for all the family is promised on Saturday June 29 as the borough stages a Great Get Together Festival, combined with Armed Forces Day, at the Royal Artillery Barracks in Woolwich. Up to 20,000 people are expected to attend the event which runs from 11am to 6pm. Dick Townsend-Smith discovers...

# Great to get to

**THE Royal Artillery Barracks is hosting one of the UK's biggest celebrations for Armed Forces Day on June 29.**

Around 20,000 people are expected to the event which is combined with the Great Get Together Festival - the royal borough's big summer community celebration.

There was a break last year as the barracks were used for the Olympic shooting events. And this year's event is promised to be the biggest yet with more attractions than ever. The event will feature events for all ages, including an activity zone, where people can have taster sessions of sports like basketball, taekwondo and boxing.

Cycling fans can improve their bike skills in the Get Cycling activity area where they can also get bike maintenance checks, security marking or whip up a cool beverage on the smoothie exercise bike.

There'll be fairground rides, street entertainers, a land train, and zorbing balls.

A play area will be set aside for younger visitors and they can bounce around on free inflatables. Children can also get to meet and stroke farmyard animals courtesy of Woodlands Farm.

Local services and charities will show what they do in community marquees, with around 200 stalls. And no one will be going hungry, because there will be a big range of food

stalls, with tempting treats on offer from around the world.

Visitors can get a close up look at vintage and modern police vehicles while police dogs and horses will also be on show.

A focal point will be a stage with an exciting programme of live music and dance, including X Factor performer and local girl Jade Ellis. There will also be performances by the Greenwich Concert Band, a samba band, the Eltham-based Marjorie Hawkins Irish Dance Troop, Tamil dances, and the Chickenwing Allstars reggae band.

Cllr Chris Roberts, leader of the royal borough, said: "This will be a great family day out, and is set to bring people together from every part of our community. We have a long and proud military heritage in this borough, and we are delighted to be working alongside our colleagues in the armed services to put on this day."

● **For more information, go to [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/greatgettogether](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/greatgettogether)**



**ANIMAL MAGIC:** the Essex Dog Display Team, left, and the Jurassic Experience, above, are on the programme of Get Together events, other pictures show visitors enjoying the many attractions at previous get togethers



**Pre-book parking**  
Visitors will be able to use three parking areas free of charge. Book a space at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/greatgettogether](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/greatgettogether)



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**DRUMMING UP SUPPORT:** cadets perform in the main arena, right, servicemen raise the flag for Armed Forces Day



## A thrilling programme of military displays

**A**T the heart of the event is a large arena with a thrilling programme of spectacular military displays and marching bands, along with stunt car shows and, birds of prey demonstrations.

There will be an impressive military and vintage vehicle display, with some of the guns and vehicles from the town's Firepower museum on show, together with historical re-enactments.

A parade by veterans from the armed services, accompanied by the Band of the

Royal Yeomanry and the Glenduart Pipes and Drums, will be a highlight of the day. And a riding display by members of the Woolwich-based King's Troop Royal Horse Artillery.

The Tigers parachute display team from the Woolwich-based 2nd Battalion Princess of Wales's Royal Regiment will also be dropping in – from the skies.

Other attractions will include a parade by the AJS and Matchless Owners Club and a quad bike stunt show.

## Still time to nominate your Veteran of the Year

**P**EOPLE still have time to nominate a special serviceman or woman for the 2013 Veteran of the Year award. The winner is set to be announced during the Armed Forces Day festivities and the Mayor Cllr Angela Cornforth will present the award.

Nominations can be made up until June 24 and the winner will

be chosen by a panel. Panel members are looking for vets who have given up their time for others. It could be to raise money for charity, or to help people through youth, sports or community organisations.

The only stipulation is that nominees must be living in the borough and have served in the Army, Navy, Air Force or Royal Marines.

If you know a veteran who deserves to be nominated send details of why they deserve the award along with their name, address, telephone number and a short service history to: Major Gerry Porter MBE, Royal Artillery Barracks, Repository Road, Woolwich, SE18 4BB or email [cvhgra-21C@mod.uk](mailto:cvhgra-21C@mod.uk)



**HONOUR:** last year's Veteran of the Year Len Jones receives his award



**GALLIONS MOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
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## SCENE



**THIS** weekend's free Greenwich + Docklands International Festival - part of the Royal Greenwich Festivals - features a show-stopping outdoor spectacular called *As The World Tips*. The whole stage moves through 90 degrees until the actors are left literally climbing the walls.

*As The World Tips* (pictured right) is on in the grounds of the National Maritime Museum on June 21 and 22.

Director of GDIF, Bradley Hemmings told *Scene*: "It's been described as a 'disaster movie in the sky', and it's like our version of the film, *The Day After Tomorrow*."

"The first sequence is all about governments' failure to deal with climate change, then as the performance goes on, the stage begins to tip, showing the impact it's having on the planet."

There's also *Word On The Street*, a series of family-orientated events.

A *High Street Odyssey* is a tour of Woolwich with a difference.

Thirty people at a time can don headphones for the guided walks around SE18. It runs five times a day on June 28 and 29. *Push* - sometimes known as 'Pramalot' - sees a playful walkabout of 'mums' and their pushchairs in Cutty Sark Gardens on June 21 and 22.

And *Splash* - 'the visual life of a water droplet' - is part of the Victorian-themed Greenwich Fair in Greenwich town centre on June 22 and 23.

"It's a fun show - but prepared to get a bit wet!" said Bradley.

More than 100 young people take part in *One Million*, at Royal Arsenal Square in Woolwich on June 28 and 29 at 10pm.

"It's a fusion of performance, live video and pyrotechnics," the director said.

**For more information on all the events go to [www.festival.org](http://www.festival.org)**

**HERE'S a selection of what's on for the Greenwich Fair, June 22-23:**  
**ANY DAY** Max Calaf, Pepys Lawn, Old Royal Naval College Sat 2.55pm & 7.15pm; Sun 1.10pm & 5.05pm

**BONE YARD TALES**  
**Rag and Bone, King Charles Lawn, ORNC**  
**Sat 3.55pm & 6pm**  
**Sun 2.15pm & 4.30pm**

**BRAIN COLLECTOR**  
**Fatalia, King Charles Lawn, ORNC**  
**Sat 1.30pm - 7pm;**  
**Sun 12.30pm - 6pm**

**FAUST**  
**Bad Taste Company, Cutty Sark Gardens**  
**Fri 9pm, Sat 10pm**  
**(40mins) Sun 2.15pm**

**THE FRENZY**  
**RashDash, Monument Gardens, ORNC**  
**Sat 2.05pm & 5.30pm**  
**Sun 1.45pm & 4.15pm**

## WHAT

**ELTHAM PARK SOUTH, GLENESK ROAD SE9**  
**Concert in the Park. Sun Jun 23**  
**PARKfest 2013. 3pm-4pm.**  
**FREE. 07530 528 069**

**ST. ALFEGE'S CHURCH**  
**Thomas Tallis Society Concert. Sun Jun 23**  
**17th century classical music, visitors can bring a picnic. 6.30pm. £18/£10. 020 8853 0687**

**GREENWICH PARK**  
**Togetherhness. Tues Jun 25-Weds Jun 26**  
**Two days of energetic activities. Various times.**  
**FREE. [www.greenwichdance.org.uk](http://www.greenwichdance.org.uk)**

**THE O2**  
**Mrs Brown - For The Love of Mrs Brown. Tues Jun 25-Sat Jun 29.** BAFTA-winning comedy series visits Greenwich as part of UK tour.  
**6.30pm. Tkts from £22.50. 0844 856 0202**

**INDIGO2**  
**David Phelps in Concert. Tues Jun 25**  
**Gospel singer performs featuring John Owen-Jones. 7pm. Tkts from £10. 020 8463 2700**



**SO MUCH FUN:** audiences watch street dancers at a Dancing Streets workshop in General Gordon Square



# Best of the fest

**The Greenwich + Docklands International Festival comes to the borough this weekend, with a performance that's sure to drive the actors up the wall, and a summer fair in Greenwich town centre**

A MILLION REASONS: One Million is on at Royal Artillery Square, and left, As The World Tips is at the NMM on June 21 and 22

**AUDIBLE FORCES**  
Oxford Contemporary Music & SARU, Greenwich Park  
Fri & Sat 12pm - 8pm;  
Sun 12pm - 6pm

**CAPTIVE**  
Motionhouse, Monument Gardens, ORNC  
Sat 1pm, 4.55pm & 8pm;  
Sun: 3.45pm & 5.35pm

**CANAPÉ COMMUNITY**  
Community Levantes  
Dance Company, ORNC  
Sat 1pm, 4.30pm & 7pm;  
Sun 12pm, 3pm & 5.10pm

**ORBILYS**  
Compagnie D'Outre-Rue,  
Old Royal Naval College  
Sat 1.30pm & 4.05pm  
(45mins)

**PUSH**  
Tangled Feet,  
Cutty Sark Gardens  
Sat 2.15pm & 5.10pm;  
Sun 2.25pm & 4.30pm

**MAGMANUS SHOW**  
Magmanus Company,  
Cutty Sark Gardens  
Sat 2.45pm & 8.50pm;  
Sun 1.40pm & 5.10pm

**EVERYDAY HERO**  
Bicycle Ballet,  
Cutty Sark Gardens  
Sat 1pm & 5.40pm;  
Sun 12.55/3.45pm

**CRU**  
Fet a Mà, Monument  
Gardens, ORNC  
Sat 3.25pm & 6pm;  
Sun 2.10pm & 4.35pm

**MONKEY & CROCODILE**  
Metta Theatre  
Company, Meridian  
Estate play site  
Sat 1/4.30pm

**GROWTH**  
Aardlek, Cutty Sark  
Gardens. Sat 3.35pm  
& 7.30pm; Sun  
12.45pm & 4.30pm

**ON MY WAY**  
Stefano di Renzo,  
Cutty Sark Gardens  
Sat 4.30pm, 6.30pm;  
Sun 12pm & 2.50pm

**LITTLE WONDER**  
Molly Orange, Monument  
Gardens, ORNC Sat 2.25/  
4.05pm; Sun 12pm &  
2.50pm

## FAIR'S FAIR!

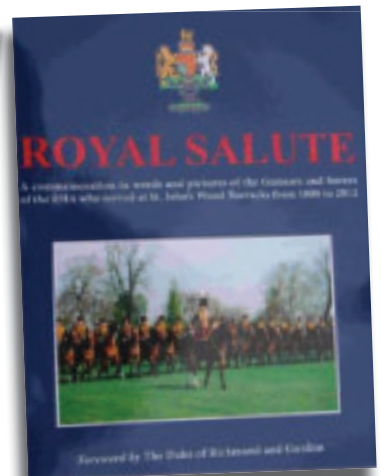
AS part of GDIF, Greenwich Fair takes to the streets of SE10, with circus acts, puppet shows and all manner of weird and wonderful performers. There's so much going on over the weekend of June 22 and 23 that we've had to dedicate a whole week's What's On to pack it all in! It's an alfresco festival experience, featuring outdoor theatre, circus, dance, installations and sideshows. It's part of the Greenwich and Docklands Festival which is part of the Royal Greenwich Festivals which are on through the summer. Artists from Belgium, Germany, Spain, Sweden and the Netherlands join leading UK companies in street arts to showcase Greenwich at its best.

Various town centre venues from June 22-23.  
See left for details of some of the events, or go to [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/festivals](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/festivals) for full line-up.

ROYAL  
GREENWICH  
FESTIVALS

ROYAL  
BOROUGH OF  
GREENWICH

**GDIF: JUNE 21-29  
VARIOUS VENUES**



MY STORY: Royal Salute. Below, author Bill Clarke

## Horses for royal courses

A HORSE named Othello is one of the stars of a fascinating historical account of the King's Troop Royal Horse Artillery.

The new book, *Royal Salute*, is by a former serving officer Bill Clarke, and details the journey of the country's most glamorous military unit to Woolwich last year.

It's the story in words and pictures of the gunners and horses of the Royal Horse Artillery, from their time at St John's Wood Barracks in 1880 to their move to Woolwich Barracks in Repository Road in 2012.

Clarke, a former major who enlisted in the Royal Artillery as a 15-year-old boy in 1960, sheds light on the troop's role in providing the horse-drawn gun carriage for the September 1997 funeral of Diana, Princess of Wales, and its ceremonial duties at the 2002 funeral of the Queen Mother.

The author, who was posted to the King's Troop at St John's Wood in 1963, also chronicles the time he took part in the State Funeral of Sir Winston Churchill in 1965.

Individual horses feature prominently in the book. They include chestnut-coloured Jones and Othello, which saw active service in the horrors of the Great War. They survived the conflict, eventually retiring to an officer's family farm in Suffolk.

The volume recounts the life and times of the Royal Horse Artillery through a wealth of anecdotes and historic photographs.

Its title refers to the centuries-old firing of canon, now used on royal and State occasions. The book's final photograph shows The Troop leaving the St John's Wood Barracks for the very last time on February 6, 2012, to make its way to its new home in Woolwich.

Clarke, (left) retired from the active list in December 1999, and took up a staff appointment as a retired Officer at the Royal School of Artillery, finally retiring from the Ministry of Defence in 2011. In the last 20 years he has published several books on military and regimental history.

**Dick Townsend-Smith**  
*Royal Salute* is published by the Royal Horse Artillery Association and is available, price £15.99, from Firepower museum at the Royal Arsenal and from bookshops.

# 'S ON

To enter a listing email  
[gnlipski@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:gnlipski@hotmail.co.uk)  
or call 020 8921 3992

**GREENWICH OPEN STUDIOS, HARDY ROAD SE3**  
Open Art Trail. Sat Jun 22-Sun Jun 23  
The open studio artists display their work to the public.  
1pm-6pm. FREE. 07775 953 077.

**OLD ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE AND CUTTY SARK GARDENS**  
Canape Community. Sat Jun 22-Sun Jun 23  
Various times. FREE. [www.greenwichdance.org.uk](http://www.greenwichdance.org.uk)

**GENERAL GORDON SQUARE, WOOLWICH**  
Dancing Streets. Thurs Jun 20  
Dance workshops and film screenings.  
2pm-7pm. FREE. [www.greenwichdance.org.uk](http://www.greenwichdance.org.uk)

**CHARLTON HOUSE**  
A Celebration of Diversity. Thurs Jun 20  
Music and entertainment to mark Refugee week 2013.  
7.30pm. £6/£5. 020 8858 9497

**NATIONAL MARITIME MUSEUM**  
Visions of the Universe. Until Sep 15  
New astrophotography exhibition looking at the cosmos.  
10am-5pm. £7. 020 8312 6565



**BLACKHEATH HALLS**  
**Blackheath Arts Society. Until Jun 30**  
ART can be a mixed bag - and a multimedia exhibition at Blackheath Halls is no exception. Local artists group the Blackheath Art Society, which has been in action for more than 65 years, presents the range of drawings and paintings. The exhibitions have become an annual fixture, originally being unveiled in Tranquil Passage in Blackheath, and featured in various venues across the borough ever since.

From images of a green meadow with a cottage in the background, ripened tomatoes on a blank canvass to impressions of the timeless seaside caricatures of Punch and Judy (pictured) the collection touches on different spectrums of the artists' vision and is on display daily at Blackheath Halls until June 30.

**Blackheath Art Society exhibition is on display every day until Sunday June 30. The space is open 10am to 5pm. Entrance is free. 020 8463 0100. [www.trinitylaban.ac.uk/whatson](http://www.trinitylaban.ac.uk/whatson)**









## Commissioning of Royal Greenwich Children's Centres

### Market Engagement Event

**Tuesday 2 July 2013**

The Royal Borough of Greenwich would like to invite interested parties to an event to discuss commissioning plans for our Children's Centres.

The event will provide stakeholders with an opportunity to find out more about Royal Greenwich, our plans for commissioning Children's Centres this year, and to meet other organisations with an interest.

The event will be held on **Tuesday 2 July 2013**, in The Gallery, at The Woolwich Centre, Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ, from **2 – 5pm**.

In order to book your place, please email [natalie.arthur@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:natalie.arthur@royalgreenwich.gov.uk) by Wednesday 26 June to receive a booking form. Places are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

### Procurement Support Workshop

In preparation for commissioning our Children's Centres this year, the Royal Borough of Greenwich would like to invite potential bidders to attend a Procurement Support Workshop.

The workshop will be particularly useful for not-for-profit organisations and will give some general guidance on procurement processes that will be highly relevant, including:

- Stages in the procurement process
- How to complete a Pre-Qualifying Questionnaire
- What makes a good bid?
- Information on additional support and advice available

The Workshops will be held on two dates:

- 10 July, 6pm-8.30pm

Clockhouse Community Centre, Defiance Walk, Woolwich Dockyard, SE18 5QL

- 18 July, 10.30am-1pm

YMCA Thames Gateway, Antelope Road, Woolwich Dockyard, SE18 5QG

The sessions will be led by Royal Greenwich Children's Services, with input from the Royal Borough's Corporate Procurement Team and Greenwich Action for Voluntary Services (GAVS).

In order to book your place, please email [natalie.arthur@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:natalie.arthur@royalgreenwich.gov.uk) by Friday 28 June to receive a booking form. Places are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

# Shop at recycling stall

ROYAL borough recycling experts are handing out pencils and pencil sharpeners made from recycled material along with information during a week-long campaign to encourage recycling.

They'll be stationed in the foyer of the Tesco Extra store in Woolwich town centre all this week.

The recycling information stall is open from 9am to 5pm until Sunday, June 23.

It's one of many events taking place across the country for the 10th Recycling Week (June 17-23).

The annual event is designed to encourage people to recycle even more than ever before.

The theme of this year's event is 'at home and away' and covers packaging, metals, plastics, textiles and food waste.

Advisors will also provide information on business recycling and urging businesses to use council waste services.

Cllr Harry Singh, the royal borough's cabinet member for Greener Greenwich, said: "As a nation, we've come a long way since we first began to take recycling seriously.

"Not only is this good news for the environment as it means we're sending less to landfill and making better use of natural resources.

"The progress we've made is due to the huge effort of individuals and local businesses, community groups and charities. However, there's more we can all do to recycle more things, more often and our information stall is helping to spread that message."

● **Information on local recycling services at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/recycling](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/recycling)**

## Got an issue you'd like to tell us about?

Email your letters to: [contactgreenwichtime@gmail.com](mailto:contactgreenwichtime@gmail.com) or write to: GT Letters, Third Floor, Woolwich Centre, Wellington St. SE18 6HQ

## ST MARY MAGDALENE CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

KINGSMAN STREET, WOOLWICH SE18 5PW

TEL : 020 8854 3531

**I Full Time Teaching Assistant Required (25 hours)**

**I Part Time Teaching Assistant Required (10-15 hours)**

**I Part time Learning Support Assistant for ASD pupil (15 hours)**

We are expanding from one-form to two-form entry. As a result we are looking for three committed, enthusiastic and dedicated people to work with our children. We offer successful applicants the opportunity to work as part of a friendly and multi-disciplinary team in a newly re-built school. Candidates will need to be able to demonstrate good literacy and numeracy skills.

The ideal candidates will have experience of working with children who have special educational needs. An NVQ Level 2 or equivalent is essential. For the LSA position we are looking for a person who is enthusiastic working with ASD pupils and a good knowledge of PECS/ Makaton is desirable.

The positions will commence in September 2013, and are for 6 months initially with the possibility of becoming permanent.

**Term time and INSET days only  
Salary: ATP + C Scale 2 point 10-13**

If you would like to know more about the position, please telephone the school to find out more or to arrange a visit. Application forms are available, by collection from Mrs. Bellamy, the Administrative Officer on 0208 854 3531 or on receipt of a stamped addressed A4/5 envelope.

**Closing date for applications: Friday 5th July 2013  
Interviews: Thursday 11th July 2013**

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and we expect all staff to share this commitment.

St Mary Magdalene C of E Primary School  
Kingsman Street  
Woolwich SE18 5PW  
020 8854 3531



Christ Church CE Primary  
45 Commerell Street  
Greenwich  
SE10 0DZ  
020 8858 3974





# GreenwichHomes

Royal Borough of Greenwich's Choice Based Lettings Scheme

Edition 344

## How the lettings policy works

Housing applicants are placed within 'Bands' according to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's policy for letting homes. Your band information is on the letter that the Council sent you when you registered, or when your circumstances changed. Property adverts say which band can apply and any other criteria. When all the bids are received, the property is then offered to: For properties advertised for band A and band B - the applicant who has had this priority status for the longest time. For properties advertised for band C applicants - the applicant who has been registered on the Council's list for the longest time.

### BAND

- A** is for applicants in unsatisfactory housing, including people moving due to demolition and those underoccupying their homes.
- B** is for applicants the Royal Borough of Greenwich must prioritise according to the law, particularly homeless people, and others with an urgent need to move for medical or welfare reasons.
- C** is for all applicants on the housing register, including those that are in priority bands A and B.

## How do I apply?

1

### Get on the list

First, you've got to be on the housing waiting list to join the scheme. If you're not, register an application on line at

[www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk)

2

### Find your applicant number

It will be on the letter you've already had from the Royal Borough of Greenwich about the new scheme. You'll need that number and the reference number of the property you're after, which will be on the advert.

3

### Pick out your ideal property

by looking in *Greenwich Time* or regularly checking the website:

[www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes)

Click on your preference on the website. If you don't have a computer, you can always use one for free at either The Eltham or Woolwich Centre or a local library.

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### Apply in one of two ways

- Phone the 24-hour hotline 020 8921 4340. It's an automatic push-button system and calls will be charged at the normal local rate, or
- Via the Royal Borough of Greenwich's website [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes)

The next edition of **GreenwichHomes** will be available on **Wednesday 26 June 2013 at midday** and will include any Housing Association properties when available. Closing date for all applications for this issue is midnight on **Sunday 23 June 2013**.

## 24-hour hotline

The Greenwich Homes  
(Choice Based Lettings) Telephone  
Bidding Line is available in:  
English 020 8921 4340

Greenwich Homes (locations « au  
choix ») Ligne téléphonique de  
demande disponible en français  
en composant le :  
French 020 8921 4330

Có sã Đường dây Đầu giá Điện  
thoại Greenwich Homes (Tài sản  
Dựa trên Sự chọn lựa) ở:  
Vietnamese 020 8921 4343

Guryaha Xaafadda Greenwich  
(Guri-ijaar Ku-saleysan kala-  
doorashao) Khadka Ku-tarlanka  
waxaa laga helaa:  
Somali 020 8921 4345

Greenwich Konutları (Tercihle Dayalı  
Kıralık Konut) Telefon ile Teklif Verme  
Hattı Türkçe de aranabiliyor:  
Turkish 020 8921 4347

格林威治家居 (揀選租屋計劃) 開通電  
話競投專線:  
Cantonese 020 8921 4370

க்ரீன்விச் இல்லங்கள் (தேர்ந்தெடுக்கப்பட்ட  
வாடகை வீடுகள்) ஏலப் பிரிவு தொலைபே.  
இங்கு கிடைக்கும்:  
Tamil 020 8921 4300

[www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes)



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**Only  
priority  
applicants  
can apply  
for Bands  
A&B**



Ref Number: 178639  
**Gregory Hse**  
**Brook Lane SE3**  
2 Bed Grnd Flr Mais  
Rad C/H No Pkg  
**£106.18 pw** Bands A&B

## Information Only

### Parlour Houses

3 bed Parlour is  
counted as a  
4 bedroomed

4 Bed Parlour is  
counted as a  
5 bedroomed



Ref Number: 178977  
**Coldharbour Crest**  
**Great Harry Dr SE9**  
2 Bed 3rd Flr Flat  
Lifted Rad C/H  
Entry phn No Pkg  
**£102.92 pw** Bands A&B



Ref Number: 179057  
**Whinchat Rd SE28**  
4 Bed Hse Gdn  
Rad C/H  
**£142.68 pw** Bands A&B



Ref Number: 179067  
**Westhorne Ave SE9**  
3 Bed Grnd Flr Flat  
Rad C/H  
**£108.65 pw** Bands A&B



Ref Number: 179094  
**Westhorne Ave SE12**  
3 Bed Hse  
Rad C/H  
**£121.17 pw** Bands A&B



Ref Number: 179096  
**Gavestone Rd SE12**  
2 Bed 3rd Flr Flat  
Lifted Rad C/H  
Entry phn No Pkg  
**£102.65 pw** Bands A&B

## Important Notice

Please note the  
closing date to  
register your bids  
for advertised  
properties will be  
**every Sunday at  
midnight.**



Ref Number: 179098  
**Whetstone Rd SE3**  
3 Bed Hse  
Rad C/H  
**£112.85 pw** Bands A&B



Ref Number: 179099  
**Froissart Rd SE9**  
3 Bed Parl Hse  
Rad C/H  
Pref to s/overcrowding  
LBG/HA Tnt  
**£130.46 pw** Bands A&B



Ref Number: 179109  
**Plymouth Hse**  
**Devonshire Dr SE10**  
1 Bed 1st Flr Flat  
Unlifted Rad C/H  
Entry phn  
**£101.65 pw** Bands A&B



Ref Number: 179111  
**Limekiln Dr SE7**  
2 Bed Hse Gdn  
Rad C/H 1 pkg space  
**£114.18 pw** Bands A&B



Ref Number: 179155  
**Rockmount Rd SE18**  
1 Bed 1st Flr Mais  
Unlifted Rad C/H  
No pets  
**£97.39 pw** Bands A&B

## Bands A&B Priority Applicants

Fewer Bands A&B priority applicants have been bidding for  
advertised properties  
in recent weeks.

**Please note that if you do not bid on a regular basis you  
risk losing your priority status.**

Please contact the office if you need help in bidding.

## Small is beautiful Under Occupation scheme

If you are living in a Council property  
that is too big for you, we can help you  
to move to somewhere smaller.  
The Council will pay your removal costs,  
and £350 for each bedroom gained.

To join the scheme you must be willing  
to move to a home with two bedrooms  
less than you have now:

- 3 bedroom to a 1 bedroom home
- 3 bedroom parlour / 4 bedroom to  
a 1 or 2 bedroom home
- 5 bedroom to a 3 bedroom  
(or smaller) home

For more information contact the  
Project Team on:

**020 8921 2671**



Choice hotline 020 8921 4340

# GreenwichHomes

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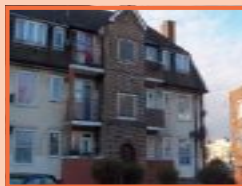
**Anyone on the housing list can apply for these**

Rsl allocations policy applies to **Housing Association** properties



Ref Number: 178358  
**Arthur Grove SE18**  
2 Bed House Rad C/H  
Min 1 chn under 16  
**£101.20 pw** Band C

**If you are bidding for houses under Band C you must have 1 child under 16 years**



Ref Number: 179054  
**Barnfield Gardens SE18**  
2 Bed 1st Floor Flat  
Unlifted Entry phone  
Rad C/H No Parking  
**£100.32 pw** Band C



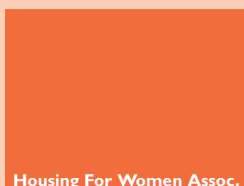
Ref Number: 179074  
**Middle Park Av SE9**  
Bedsit 2nd Floor Flat  
Unlifted Rad C/H  
**£84.99 pw** Band C



Ref Number: 179101  
**Villas Road SE18**  
2 Bed 6th Floor Flat  
Entry phone Lifted  
Rad C/H No Parking  
**£88.51 pw** Band C



Ref Number: 179105  
**The Link SE9**  
Bedsit Ground Floor Flat  
Entry phone  
Rad C/H  
**£83.82 pw** Band C



**Housing For Women Assoc.**  
Ref Number: 179156  
**Quilter St SE18**  
2 Bed Hse  
Rad C/H 1alloc pkg  
Min 1 child under 16  
**£115.84 pw** Band C

## Important Notice

Please note the closing date to register your bids for advertised properties will be **every Sunday at midnight.**



**Hyde Housing Association**  
Ref Number: 179059  
**Brookhill Cl SE18**  
3 Bed Hse Gdn  
Rad C/H  
Min 2 chn 1 under 16  
**£131.25 pw** Band C

**Next Edition 345 available on Wednesday 26 June 2013**

## Need to Move?



**www.HouseExchange.org.uk**  
The best way to find a Mutual Exchange

For Council & Housing Association Tenants  
Local & National Searches  
Quick & Easy to Use

**You can only register on line for free**

## Mutual Exchange

**Every day hundreds of Council and Housing Association tenants register to swap their homes and have access to thousands of possible matches.**

**So, if you are looking to move, for whatever reason, a mutual exchange could be the answer to a faster move.**

To find out more please visit:  
**www.houseexchange.org.uk** or  
**www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes**

## Affordable Homes

Please note any Housing Association properties advertised in this way will have a higher rent charge



**Affordable Housing**  
Ref Number: 84675  
**Wren Path SE28**  
1 Bed 2nd Flr Flat  
Unlifted Rad C/H  
Entry phn Over 40's  
**£132.00 pw** Band C



Choice hotline 020 8921 4340

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## MOVES ACROSS LONDON

The housingmoves scheme is run by the Greater London Authority and is aimed at social housing tenants who want to move from one part of London to another.

Priority is given to people who:

- have more bedrooms than they currently need
- want to move to be closer to employment or higher education
- need to provide care for family members or friends.

Tenants must have a clear rent account and no on-going record of anti-social behaviour. Royal borough tenants can register on the scheme and bid for council or housing association property in other parts of London. To register your interest please visit: **[www.housingmoves.org](http://www.housingmoves.org)**

## GreenwichHomes adverts

Greenwich Time is now being published 50 weeks a year and is delivered to all residents. GreenwichHome adverts are included in every issue.

### This is what happened to the homes advertised in issue 341

| Address   | Bed-rooms | Property Type | No of Bids | Reg date of successful app | Band |
|---|-----------|---------------|------------|----------------------------|------|
| The Glade SE7 7DQ                                 | 1         | FLAT          | 69         | 13/03/1996                 | A    |
| Benares Road SE18 1HY                             | 1         | FLAT          |            | withdrawn                  |      |
| Cross Court Titmuss Avenue SE28 8BY               | 2         | FLAT          | 322        | 30/03/2010                 | C    |
| Halton Court Cranfield Walk SE3 9EX               | 2         | FLAT          |            | No eligible bids           |      |
| Halton Court Cranfield Walk SE3 9EX               | 2         | FLAT          |            | No Eligible bids           |      |
| Halton Court Cranfield Walk SE3 9EX               | 2         | FLAT          |            | No eligible bids           |      |
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| Halton Court Cranfield Walk SE3 9EX               | 2         | FLAT          |            | No eligible bids           |      |
| Halton Court Cranfield Walk SE3 9EX               | 1         | FLAT          |            | To be allocated            |      |
| Halton Court Cranfield Walk SE3 9EX               | 1         | FLAT          |            | To be allocated            |      |
| Halton Court Handley Drive SE3 9ET                | 1         | FLAT          |            | To be allocated            |      |
| Halton Court Handley Drive SE3 9ET                | 2         | FLAT          |            | No eligible bids           |      |
| Halton Court Handley Drive SE3 9ET                | 2         | FLAT          |            | No eligible bids           |      |
| Halton Court Handley Drive SE3 9ET                | 2         | FLAT          |            | No eligible bids           |      |
| Halton Court Handley Drive SE3 9ET                | 2         | FLAT          |            | No eligible bids           |      |
| Rectory Place SE18 5DQ                            | 1         | FLAT          | 135        | 25/03/2013                 | A    |
| Finchale Road SE2 9PG                             | 0         | FLAT          | 312        | 22/05/2007                 | C    |
| Samuel Street SE18 5LF                            | 3         | MAISONETTE    | 59         | 09/11/1988                 | A    |
| Kimber House Barnfield Road SE18 3TU              | 2         | FLAT          | 392        | 22/03/2010                 | C    |
| Sibthorpe Road SE12 9DN                           | 3         | MAISONETTE    | 45         | 21/08/2012                 | B    |
| Panfield Road SE2 9BY                             | 4         | HOUSE         | 134        | 08/05/2000                 | A    |
| Glyndon Road SE18 7NZ                             | 2         | FLAT          | 483        | 10/10/2008                 | C    |
| Middle Park Avenue SE9 5HS                        | 3         | HOUSE         | 853        | 15/04/2003                 | C    |
| Bevan Road SE2 0UT                                | 1         | FLAT          | 43         | 04/04/2013                 | B    |
| High Grove SE18 2PU                               | 2         | FLAT          | 73         | 18/06/2007                 | A    |
| Alwold Crescent SE12 9AQ                          | 3         | HOUSE         | 117        | 27/06/2008                 | B    |
| Occupation Lane SE18 3JQ                          | 2         | FLAT          | 17         | 23/01/2013                 | B    |
| Wigeon Path SE28 0DS                              | 1         | FLAT          | 257        | 26/03/2010                 | C    |
| Lestock House Whelstone Road SE3 8HG              | 1         | FLAT          | 455        | 18/09/2008                 | C    |
| Derrick Gardens SE7 7TA                           | 2         | FLAT          | 58         | 19/02/1997                 | A    |
| Jim Bradley Close SE18 6QA                        | 3         | PARLOUR HSE   | 84         | 15/08/1995                 | A    |
| Halton Court Cranfield Walk SE3 9EX               | 1         | FLAT          |            | To be allocated            |      |
| Bromholm Road SE2 9ND                             | 2         | FLAT          | 19         | 16/01/2013                 | B    |
| Squires House Barnfield Road SE18 3UQ             | 2         | FLAT          | 334        | 11/05/2010                 | C    |
| Russet Way SE13 7LZ                               | 3         | MAISONETTE    | 26         | 01/04/2009                 | C    |
| Ada Kennedy Court Greenwich South Street SE10 8UD | 1         | FLAT          | 308        | 24/06/2008                 | C    |
| The Village SE7 8UD                               | 2         | FLAT          |            | No eligible bids           |      |
| Hargood Road SE3 8HR                              | 2         | HOUSE         | 127        | 20/09/2010                 | A    |
| Ann Street SE18 7LU                               | 1         | FLAT          | 43         | 04/12/2012                 | B    |
| Frances Street SE18 5LB                           | 2         | FLAT          |            | No eligible bids           |      |
| Jessup Close SE18 7HB                             | 2         | MAISONETTE    | 454        | 25/04/2005                 | C    |
| Vyryan House Campbell Close SE18 3NE              | 0         | FLAT          | 288        | 01/02/2010                 | C    |
| Greenvale Road SE9 1PE                            | 1         | FLAT          |            | withdrawn                  |      |
| Hawkins Court Prospect Vale SE18 5HT              | 2         | FLAT          | 34         | 06/02/2013                 | B    |
| Valiant House Valley Grove SE7 8BE                | 2         | FLAT          | 323        | 22/03/2010                 | C    |
| Erskine House Springfield Grove SE7 7TW           | 3         | FLAT          |            | withdrawn                  |      |

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# **Royal Borough of Greenwich** **Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)** **Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure)(England) Order 2010** **Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)** **Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Regulations 1990 (AS AMENDED)** **Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) Regulations 2007 (AS AMENDED)**

Notice is hereby given that applications have been made to The Royal Borough of Greenwich in respect of the under mentioned premises/sites. You can see the submissions and any plans during the hours of 9.00am to 5.30pm Monday to Friday and 9.00am to 5.30pm on Saturday at:-

**Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, SE18 6QT**

or at the library shown between normal opening hours.

If development proposals affect Conservation Areas and/or Statutory Listed Buildings under the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Area) Act 1990 (As Amended) this will be shown within the text below.

Anyone who wishes to comment on these applications should be made in writing to Development Planning within 21 days of the date of this notice.

Please quote the appropriate reference number.

**Date: 18/06/2013**

Mike Hows - Chief Planning Officer

## **Publicity For Planning Applications**

**Applicant:** Esso Petroleum Company Limited **13/1189/F**  
**ESSO PETROLEUM, 37A SHOOTERS HILL ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7HS**

**Development:** Demolition of section of existing boundary wall and replacement with close boarded fence.

**Drawing Numbers:** 001P (Site location plan), 01/02/03P and Photo sheet 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.

**Library:** Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT

**Conservation Area:** BLACKHEATH

**Applicant:** Mr A. Patel **13/1272/F**  
**3 ASHRIDGE CRESCENT, PLUMSTEAD, LONDON, SE18 3EA**

**Development:** Re-arrangement of front and side hedge and create paved front drive to provide access for off road vehicle parking.

**Drawing Numbers:** 01/01/03/2013 (Sheet No.1), 02/01/03/2013 (Sheet No.2), Design and Access Statement and Ordinance Survey Map.

**Library:** Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, Woolwich, SE18 6QT

**Conservation Area:** SHREWSBURY PARK ESTATE

**Applicant:** Mr & Mrs Eilertsen **13/1281/F**  
**THE BUNGALOW, KIDBROOKE PARK ROAD, KIDBROOKE, LONDON, SE3 0LW**

**Development:** Construction of a single storey rear extension.

**Drawing Numbers:** 18/06/01, 18/06/02, 18/06/03, 18/06/04, 18/06/05, 18/06/06, 18/06/07 and the Design Statement.

**Library:** Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT

**Conservation Area:** BLACKHEATH

**Applicant:** Meridian Delta Ltd **13/1319/F**  
**LAND AT PLOT NO202, GREENWICH PENINSULA, SE10**

**Development:** Construction of Central Marketing Hub building comprising part four part three storey building with connecting roof canopy including marketing suites, associated offices accommodation together with restaurant/cafe and retail uses, associated hard and soft landscaping.

**Drawing Numbers:** S47-A-090-PL, S47-A-091-PL, S47-A-092-PL, S47-A-210-PL, S47-A-211-PL, S47-A-212-PL, S47-A-213-PL, S47-A-214-PL, S47-A-215-PL, S47-A-216-PL, S47-A-217-PL, S47-A-218-PL, S47-A-219-PL, S47-A-220-PL, S47-A-221-PL, S47-A-222-PL, S47-A-223-PL, S47-A-224-PL, S47-A-225-PL, S47-A-226-PL, S47-A-227-PL, S47-A-228-PL, S47-A-229-PL, S47-A-230-PL, S47-A-231-PL, S47-A-232-PL, S47-A-233-PL, S47-A-234-PL, S47-A-235-PL, S47-A-236-PL, S47-A-237-PL, S47-A-238-PL, S47-A-239-PL, S47-A-240-PL, S47-A-241-PL, S47-A-242-PL, S47-A-243-PL, S47-A-244-PL, S47-A-245-PL, S47-A-246-PL, S47-A-247-PL, S47-A-248-PL, S47-A-249-PL, S47-A-250-PL, S47-A-251-PL, S47-A-252-PL, S47-A-253-PL, S47-A-254-PL, S47-A-255-PL, S47-A-256-PL, S47-A-257-PL, S47-A-258-PL, S47-A-259-PL, S47-A-260-PL, S47-A-261-PL, S47-A-262-PL, S47-A-263-PL, S47-A-264-PL, S47-A-265-PL, S47-A-266-PL, S47-A-267-PL, S47-A-268-PL, S47-A-269-PL, S47-A-270-PL, S47-A-271-PL, S47-A-272-PL, S47-A-273-PL, S47-A-274-PL, S47-A-275-PL, S47-A-276-PL, 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# St Mary's win it by a whisker Capital haul for Tigers

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and Benjamin Luxford of Wyborne winning it for the boys, the first of two gold medals for him.

Katelyn Lai won the Year 4 freestyle for Meridian, while Oliver Crowley won it for St Mary's in the boys event.

Eddy Binns, of James Wolfe, produced a fine performance to win the Year 5 backstroke, while Ellen Stepan won the Year 6 event for Halstow.

All evening the parents in a packed public gallery never failed to cheer on all the kids, despite the heat.

In the Year 5 freestyle, a thrilling finish saw Kirsty Moore of Gordon just pip Lulu Pennicott-Banks of Meridian - by just 0.12 of a second!

Jamaal Francis won the Year 5 freestyle for Our Lady of Grace, while Sameera Naqvi won the Year 6 race for Invicta, and Oscar Cotton won it for St Mary's boys.

Alice Hickson took the Year 5 breaststroke for Halstow and Eddie Brown won the boys event for James Wolfe.

Maddie Skinner put in a great swim to win the Year 6 breaststroke and Luca Di Fabio did equally well to take the boys' event for Gordon.

The relays were really impressive. The Halstow girls' team just pipped

Meridian's side in the medley relay, while in the boys section Gordon won with a fine swim.

St Mary's boys and girls won both freestyle relays by huge margins thanks to fine swims from all eight pupils.

Gordon School won the overall girls' trophy while St Mary's won the overall boys title.

Organiser Suzanne Philpot GLL aquatics manager, said: "I was so proud of the swimmers. The standard was even higher than last year."

The evening was all the more impressive bearing in mind recent publicity surrounding the number of children who leave primary school unable to swim properly. Greenwich is bucking the trend with over 60 per cent of primary school children heading to secondary school able to swim at least one length of the pool.

Staff at the Eltham Centre and those from Greenwich Royals Swimming Club, their coaches, volunteers, parents and senior swimmers helped make sure the event went smoothly.

Greenwich Mayor Angela Cornforth, who presented the medals to dozens of beaming children, said: "It was wonderful to see so many people, swimmers, parents and officials enjoying a really special evening."



THANKS FOR COMING: Mayor Angela Cornforth receives flowers from Rachel Davis at the end of a great evening's swimming

A TEAM of 29 competitors from Taekwondo Tigers, based at Greenacres primary school in Eltham, came away with no fewer than 21 medals at the Capital Cup London competition.

That gave the team fourth place in an event that attracted more than 600 competitors from all over the UK as well as from France and Holland. Medals for the team from Eltham included eight golds, 10 silvers and three bronzes. Chief instructor and former Team GB member Davoud Etmiani, said: "I am very happy with our team performance. We worked very hard towards the Capital Cup, a competition for all age and ability

groups. "I think everyone involved - parents, competitors and coaches - enjoyed the weekend, which was a stepping stone to great success for us."

Medal winners - gold: Sophia Javid, Essam Monir Ammanoeil, Payam Ghabadi, Nikki Etmiani, Yasmin Habibullah, Jordan Ashley, Ashley Armoordon, Ajan Surethran. Silver: Javed Habibolah, Hector Moya, Wrigglesworth Julia, Rania Javid, Mona Samirie, Pouria Ghasemi, Dylan Armoordon, Thomas Miambanzila, Bojinko Vlahov, Tokoni Cindy Oeidi. Bronze: Serena Miambanzila, Larib Lasharie, Berhany Thomas.

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# Saints & winners!

## St Mary's win it again but it's so close

CHILDREN from across the borough put in a fantastic set of performances at the Primary Schools Gala on Friday, June 7 – ending in one of the closest finishes to decide the top school!

Meridian won the small school trophy ahead of Invicta, while Gordon and St Mary's battled it out all night for the title of best large school.

They both finished on 125 points, which meant judges had to separate them on the number of first places. But both schools had each won four races, so it went down to which school had the most number of second places.

St Mary's finished second in seven races while Gordon finished second in two – which meant St Mary's retained their title, tough on Gordon as both sides raced superbly all night.

The evening got off to a great start with Maddie Skinner winning the girls' butterfly for James Wolfe

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